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Federal Opportunities

Selected Demonstration Projects for Community Audits. *The Department of Labor* announces funds to support promising practices in strategic planning and research related to community audits. State and local workforce boards and/or consortia of stakeholders are eligible. The deadline is November 17, 2000. Approximately 25 recipients will be granted \$50,000 to \$150,000. For more information, contact Denise Roach by fax at (202) 219-8739. Also see www.doleta.gov.

Bilingual Education: Comprehensive School Grants 2001. *The Department of Education* announces funds to reform, implement, and upgrade schoolwide bilingual education programs or alternative instruction programs for students with limited English proficiency. State and local educational agencies are eligible. The deadline is October 20, 2000. Approximately 50 awards will be made of \$250,000 each. For more information, contact Lorena Dickerson at (202) 205-9044 or Lorena_Dickerson@ed.gov. Also see www.ed.gov/news.html.

Bilingual Education: Program Development and Implementation 2001. *The Department of Education* solicits applications to develop and implement new comprehensive, coherent and successful bilingual education programs including programs of early childhood, gifted and talented, vocational and applied technology education. State and local educational agencies are eligible. The deadline is October 20, 2000. Approximately 50 awards will be made for \$150,000 each. For information, contact Ursula Lord at (202) 205-5709 or Ursula_Lord@ed.gov. Also see www.ed.gov/news.html.

District Opportunities

New! Crime Victims Assistance Grant. *The DC Justice Grants Administration* seeks applications for grants in the following four categories; 1) Victims of Child Abuse; 2) Victims of Sexual Abuse; 3) Victims of Domestic Violence; and 4) Previously Under Served Priority Areas. The deadline is September 29, 2000. The funds available total \$1,096,300, and the maximum amount of each subgrant award is \$135,000. Applications can be obtained from 717 14th Street, NW, 2nd Floor, Washington, DC 20005. Contact (202) 727-6537.

New! Teen Pregnancy Prevention Outreach & Information Campaign. *The DC Department of Human Services* announces funds for the development and implementation of a teen pregnancy prevention outreach and information campaign on a citywide basis with a focus on Wards 7 and 8. The deadline is October 12, 2000. One grant award for \$950,000 will be made. Applications can be obtained from 717 14th Street, NW, 2nd Floor, Washington, DC 20005. Contact (202) 727-6537.

Primary Care, Planning and Prevention. *The DC Department of Health* solicits applications to provide medical services, nursing services, mental health services, laboratory testing and health education to establish a school-based health center at Edison-Friendship Heights Collegiate Academy and Duke Ellington School of the Arts. The deadline is September 29, 2000. A total of \$300,000 will be distributed to an organization. Applications can be obtained from 717 14th Street, NW, 2nd Floor, Washington, DC 20005. Contact (202) 727-6537. Also see www.dccfo.com.

Teen Mothers Take Charge Project 2000. *The DC Department of Health, Office of Maternal and*

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Child Health announces funds for the provision of services for low-income and TANF female adolescents under two program scopes: 1) personal enrichment/self-development; and 2) care coordination/case management services. The deadline is October 2, 2000. One grant of \$470,000 for personal enrichment and one grant of \$1,000,000 for care coordination will be awarded. Applications can be obtained from 717 14th Street, NW, 2nd Floor, Washington, DC 20005. Contact (202) 727-6537. Also see www.dccfo.com.

Comprehensive School Reform Demonstration Program. *The DC Public Schools* announces financial incentives for schools that need to significantly improve student achievement, particularly Title I schools. Reform programs are intended to stimulate schoolwide change covering all aspects of school operations. The deadline is October 20, 2000. Awards will be made in the amount of \$70,000 each. The Request for Application is available from 717 14th Street, NW, 2nd Floor, Washington, DC 20005. Contact (202) 727-6537. Also see www.dccfo.com.

Technology Literacy Challenge Program. *The DC Public Schools* announces funds to further implement the District's statewide plan for the integration of technology into classroom instruction. Funds may only be granted to school districts or local education agencies in which a majority of children are Title I eligible. School districts include DCPS and public charter schools approved for operation in the 2000-2001 school year. The deadline is October 25, 2000. The Request for Application is available from 717 14th Street, NW, 2nd Floor, Washington, DC 20005. Contact (202) 727-6537. Also see www.dccfo.com.

Child Care Improvement Initiative. *The DC Department of Human Services, Office of Early Childhood Development* seeks to improve the quality and increase the supply of child care in the District by awarding approximately \$2.5 million in competitive grants. The deadline is October 2, 2000. Applications can be obtained from 717 14th Street, NW, 2nd Floor, Washington, DC 20005. Contact (202) 727-6537. Also see www.dccfo.com.

Last Call: Faith-Based Initiative. *The DC Department of Health, Addiction Prevention and Recovery Administration* solicits applications to

develop and implement a faith-based program for youth in the District. The deadline is September 13, 2000. One award of \$250,000 will be made. Applications can be obtained from 717 14th Street, NW, 2nd Floor, Washington, DC 20005. Contact (202) 727-6537. Also see www.dccfo.com.

Last Call! FY2001 Housing Year 8 Program. *The DC Department of Health, Administration for HIV/AIDS* announces funds for the provision of housing and other assistance to low-income people living with HIV/AIDS in the District of Columbia. The deadline is September 18, 2000. A total of \$3.8 million is available for multiple awards. Applications can be obtained from 717 14th Street, NW, 2nd Floor, Washington, DC 20005. Contact (202) 727-6537. Also see www.dccfo.com.

Foundation Opportunities

Women's Sports. *The Women's Sports Foundation* administers various grant programs for women and girls in sports. The foundation's mission is to promote the lifelong participation of all girls and women in sports and fitness, and to create an educated public that encourages females' participation and supports gender equality. Deadlines begin at the end of September 2000. For more information on specific grant eligibility and award amounts, call (516) 542-4700. Also see www.womenssportsfoundation.org.

Resources & Announcements

The Learning Circles Project. *The Fannie Mae Foundation* in cooperation with *Innonet* announces the second round of The Learning Circles Project. It is aimed at increasing the overall effectiveness of 24 local nonprofits each of which will receive approximately 100 hours of free technical assistance. Participants will learn from experts and from their peers and will develop strategic and fundraising plans. Please attend the free information session on September 18th from 10:30 to 11:30am at the Martin Luther King Memorial Library located on 901 G Street, NW near the Gallery Place metro. Contact Monica Heuer at (202) 728-0727 or heuer@innonet.org. Also see www.innonet.org/learningcircles/application.doc.